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Dear Ms. Stark:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Schedule A of your report discloses contributions from political committees but fails to include the full and/or recognizable name. Reporting only the name of the connected organization, abbreviating the name of the committee so it is unrecognizable or using an indistinguishable acronym is inadequate. (11 CFR §102.14(c) and 104.3(a)(4)(ii)). A listing of the full FEC-registered committee names, FEC Committee ID number and approved acronyms can be found on the FEC web site (www.fec.gov) or can be obtained by contacting the FEC Public Disclosure Division. Please amend your report to include the missing information.

-Contributions from individuals and persons other than political committees must be itemized if the aggregate total from the contributor exceeds \$200 in a calendar year. This means that the committee does not have a reporting requirement of a contribution until the aggregate total exceeds the \$200 threshold. (2 U.S.C. §434(b)(3)) Should a committee wish to disclose contributions that do not require itemization, it must do so on a separate Schedule A and report the total amount of unitemized contributions on Line \$11(a)(ii) of the Detailed Summary Page information. (11 CFR §104.3(a)(4)(i))

A response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problems should be filed electronically with the Federal Election Commission within